

Title (en)  
METHOD FOR CONTROLLING STATES OF TERMINAL DEVICE, TERMINAL DEVICE, AND NETWORK DEVICE

Title (de)  
VERFAHREN ZUR STEUERUNG DER ZUSTÄNDE EINER ENDGERÄTEVORRICHTUNG, ENDGERÄTEVORRICHTUNG UND NETZWERKVORRICHTUNG

Title (fr)  
PROCÉDÉ DE CONTRÔLE D'ÉTATS DE DISPOSITIF TERMINAL, DISPOSITIF TERMINAL, ET DISPOSITIF DE RÉSEAU

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP3573356A1] This application provides a method for controlling a status of a terminal device, a terminal device, and a network device. The method includes: sending, by a terminal device in an inactive state, a first request message to a first network device, where the first request message includes first identifier information of the terminal device; and receiving, by the terminal device, a first response message sent by the first network device, where the first response message is used to instruct the terminal device to enter an idle state or enter the inactive state. According to the method provided in this application, the terminal device in the inactive state sends a request message to the first network device, the first network device instructs the terminal device to directly enter the idle state or enter the inactive state, and the terminal device does not need to switch to a connected state in advance, so that signaling overheads can be reduced, and power consumption of the terminal device can be reduced.

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